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Applicants: SAKIMURA, et al

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WORK SUPPORT INFORMATION EXTRACTING SYSTEM USING
THEREOF

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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

May 22, 2002

Sir:

Prior to examination, please amend the above-identified application as follows.

IN THE CLAIMS

Please cancel claims 16 and 17 without prejudice or disclaimer of the subject matter
thereof.